

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The following microorganisms were deposited at the Deutsche Sammlung für Mikroorganismen und Zellkulturen (DSMZ = German Collection of Microorganisms and Cell Cultures, Mascheroder Weg 1b D-38124 Braunschweig, Germany) in accordance with the Budapest Treaty:

- *Corynebacterium glutamicum* DSM5715/pT-oxyRexp which was deposited on April 4, 2000 as DSM 13457, and
- *Escherichia coli* DH5 α /pEC-T18mob2 which was deposited on January 1, 2000 as DSM 13244.